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**HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 68**

**43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997**

**INTRODUCED BY**

**JAMES ROGER MADALENA**

**A JOINT MEMORIAL**

**REQUESTING THE SECRETARY OF STATE, THE COUNTY CLERKS, THE ALL-  
INDIAN PUEBLO COUNCIL AND THE NINETEEN PUEBLO TRIBAL CENSUS  
OFFICES TO COOPERATE ON REGISTERING ELIGIBLE VOTERS FOR THE  
SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT FOR THE  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO.**

**WHEREAS, the members of certain pueblos in Sandoval county,  
Santa Fe county, McKinley county, Rio Arriba county and Taos  
county reside in the third congressional district for the state  
of New Mexico; and**

**WHEREAS, the Native American election information programs  
of Sandoval county and McKinley county and the secretary of  
state service the nineteen pueblos by providing election and  
election process information according to the constitution of  
the United States and the constitution of New Mexico; and**

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1           WHEREAS, the Native American election information programs  
2 are organized to operate and deliver electoral service to the  
3 nineteen pueblos, their tribal administrations and communities  
4 for the third congressional district special election; and

5           WHEREAS, there are many pueblo men and women eligible to  
6 register and vote; and

7           WHEREAS, the right to vote is a constitutional right, and  
8 pueblo men and women are provided the opportunity to register  
9 and vote through the objective mission of the Native American  
10 election information programs; and

11           WHEREAS, the state and pueblo governments have worked  
12 together to strengthen the government-to-government relationship  
13 between their respective governments;

14           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE  
15 STATE OF NEW MEXICO that it request the county clerks of  
16 Sandoval, Santa Fe, Rio Arriba, Taos and McKinley counties to  
17 network with the secretary of state, the all-Indian pueblo  
18 council and the nineteen pueblos to register and bring election  
19 awareness to eligible voters; and

20           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the county clerks from the  
21 aforementioned counties, the secretary of state and pueblo  
22 tribal census offices cooperate in seeking out and verifying  
23 pueblo men and women eligible to register and vote in the third  
24 congressional district special election; and

25           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the secretary of state, county

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1 clerks, the all-Indian pueblo council and the nineteen pueblos  
2 work together to maximize voter registration and participation  
3 in the election process as stated in the mission of the Native  
4 American election information programs; and

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be  
6 transmitted to the secretary of state for distribution to the  
7 appropriate tribes and agencies.

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# State of New Mexico House of Representatives

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION, 1997

March 11, 1997

Mr. Speaker:

Your VOTERS AND ELECTIONS COMMITTEE, to whom has  
been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with  
recommendation that it DO PASS, amended as follows:

1. On page 1, line 12, after "COUNCIL" insert ", THE NAVAJO  
NATION, THE JICARILLA APACHE TRIBE".

2. On page 1, line 18, after the third occurrence of  
"county" insert a comma and strike "and".

3. On page 1, line 19, after "county" insert ", the Navajo  
Nation and the Jicarilla Apache Tribe".

4. On page 2, line 18, after "council" insert ", the Navajo  
Nation, the Jicarilla Apache Tribe".

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5. On page 2, line 21, after "state" insert a comma, strike "and pueblo" and insert in lieu thereof "pueblos', the Navajo Nation and the Jicarilla Apache".

6. On page 3, line 1, after "council" insert ", the Navajo Nation, the Jicarilla Apache Tribe".,

**Respectfully submitted,**

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Edward C. Sandoval, Chairman

**Adopted** \_\_\_\_\_

**Not Adopted** \_\_\_\_\_

(Chief Clerk)

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**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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The roll call vote was 10 For 0 Against

Yes: 10

Excused: Nicely, Sanchez

Absent: None

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FIRST SESSION, 1997

March 19, 1997

Mr. President:

Your CONSERVATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with  
recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

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Michael S. Sanchez, Chairman

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk)

Not Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
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Excused: Davis, Kysar, Macias, Tsosie

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Absent: None

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